

REMARKS

Claims remaining in the present application are Claims 6, 9-13, 16-31. Claims 1-5, 7, 8 and 14, 15 have been cancelled. Claims 6 and 16 have been amended. Claims 29 and 30 have been added. Claims 19-28 have been allowed. Applicants thank the Examiner for allowing Claims 19-28. No new matter has been added as a result of these amendments.

OBJECTIONS

In the fourth paragraph of the Rejection, Claims 8-11 and 14-16 were objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. new Claims 29 and 30 have been added where new Claim 29 includes limitations from Claims 6 and 14 and Claim 30 includes limitations from Claims 6 and 15. Claim 6 has been amended to include the limitations of Claims 7 and 8. Therefore, it is respectfully submitted that the objection of Claims 8-11 and 14-16 has been overcome because Applicant has rewritten claims to include subject matter that the Examiner indicates is allowable.

CONCLUSION

In light of the above listed amendments and remarks, reconsideration of the rejected Claims is requested. Based on the amendments and arguments presented above, it is respectfully submitted that Claims 6, 9-13, 16-31 overcome the rejections of record. Therefore, allowance of Claims 6, 9-13, 16-31 is earnestly solicited. Claims 19-28 have been allowed. Applicants thank the Examiner for allowing Claims 19-28

Should the Examiner have a question regarding the instant response, the Applicant invites the Examiner to contact the Applicant's undersigned representative at the below listed telephone number.

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